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For: **ELECTRICAL CONNECTION BAR AND
ADAPTED CONNECTION DEVICE**

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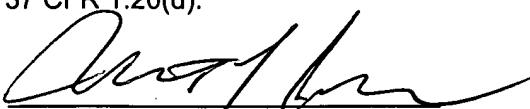
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